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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Director, Current Intelligence
FROM : Chief, Latin America Division
SUBJECT : Meeting on DOD Paper on Cuba for Senator Stennis

1. At 0900 today, [redacted] attended a meeting with the Chief, [redacted] and members of his staff and Mr. Joseph Colifano of the Department of Defense.

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2. A memorandum from the Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff to Senator Stennis was discussed. It was generally agreed that the paper was good. However, it was suggested that the first two paragraphs of the section entitled "Soviet Military Strength in Cuba" be updated along the lines of an agreed CIA and DIA paper on this subject that had been prepared on 20 March. Since [redacted] of DIA was the one to have provided this material for the JCS paper and also the one to work on the newly coordinated paper, Mr. Colifano agreed to have [redacted] make the agreed upon changes. Other changes, all pretty much of a minor nature, were agreed upon. There were no areas of serious disagreement.

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3. Mr. Colifano agreed to send copies of the final paper that General Taylor will send to Senator Stennis to CIA.

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DIA review(s) completed.

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